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**Message**RE: Attorney Docket No. SJO920000138US1; Serial No.: 09/804,105; Filed: 03/12/2003;  
Inventor: Norbert A. Feliss

Dear Examiner Miller:

Attached please find Substitute Amendment B regarding the above-referenced case. Please give me a call if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Noe, Jr.

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **NORBERT A.  
FELISS ET AL.**

Serial No.: **09/804,105**

Filed: **12 MARCH 2001**

For: **HEAD SHOCK RESISTANCE  
AND HEAD LOAD/UNLOAD  
PROTECTION FOR REDUCING DISK  
ERRORS AND DEFECTS, AND  
ENHANCING DATA INTEGRITY OF  
DISK DRIVES**

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Attorney Docket No.: **SJO920000138US1**

Examiner: **BRIAN E. MILLER**

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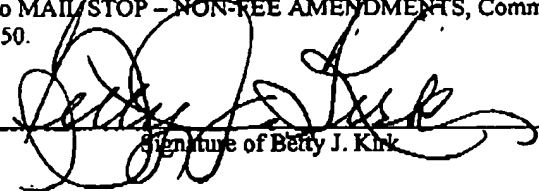
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**SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT B**

**MAIL STOP – Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

This Substitute Amendment is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated April 6, 2005 with a shortened statutory period ending May 6, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

<b>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING</b> 37 CFR 1.8	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is, on the date shown below, being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to MAIL/STOP – NON-FEE AMENDMENTS, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.	
<u>April 19, 2005</u> DATE	 Signature of Betty J. Kirk

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